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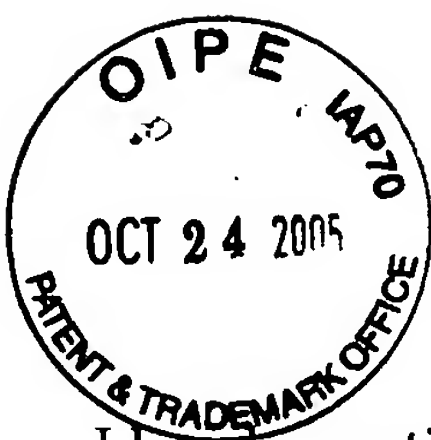
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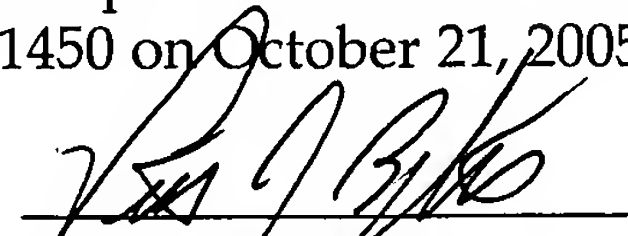
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### REQUEST FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.323

Sir:

In the matter of U.S. Patent No. 6,953,014 B2 issued October 11, 2005, a check of the same against the files of the attorney of record indicates that one mistake described in the attached Form PTO 44 was made by the Office.

More specifically, the following mistake, corrected in Form PTO 44 was made by the Office and is of a clerical nature:

Claim 1, line 24 (column 12, line 49), "the at least one valve said elongated slot" should read -the at least one valve, said elongated slot--.

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## REMARKS

Under 35 U.S.C. 254, whenever a mistake in a patent, incurred through fault of the Patent and Trademark Office, is clearly disclosed by the records of the Office, the Director may issue a certificate of correction stating the fact and nature of such mistake, under seal, without charge.

In the original claims, line 24 of claim 1 included a comma between the words "valve" and "said". No amendment was subsequently made to claim 1. Since this is clearly disclosed by the records filed with the Office, Applicant respectfully requests a Certificate of Correction.

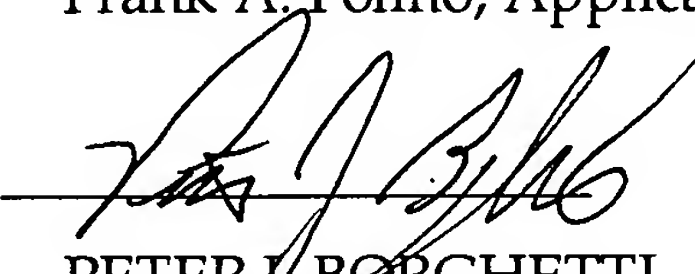
Although it is believed that no fee is due at this time, we authorize the Commissioner to charge of any additional fees and crediting any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-2410 (Order No. 29481-101).

If there are any questions remaining please call: PETER J. BORGHETTI at (617) 854-4000.

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# CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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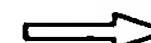
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 1, line 24 (column 12, line 49), "the at least one valve said elongated slot" should read --the at least one valve, said elongated slot--.

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